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GENERAL NEWS.

(BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.)

Dignitaries in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, May 10.—Public and private buildings are covered with bunting, and flags and banners are everywhere seen. The interest taken by the people in the present and imminent exposition is not less than was manifested a year ago, at the opening of the latter though transient Centennial Exposition. At 10 o'clock the President, his cabinet officers and bankers, and the United States Minister to Russia breakfasted with Col. Michael, editor of the *North American*. The President and party drove from the Continental hotel to the exhibition grounds escorted by the city troops and the Fairmount. The committee having in charge arrangements for ex-President Grant's reception waited on him at the residence of Mr. Paul, West Chestnut street, and accompanied him to the Union League House, where Gov. Hartranft and other State officers were entered and from there the party started for the exhibition ground.

The Philadelphia Exposition.

PHILADELPHIA, May 10.—The city is crowded with people intent upon assisting at the opening ceremonies of the permanent exhibition. The programme of exercises at the opening was made up of music, prayer, address and ode. During the performance of the latter Gov. Hartranft and staff filed upon the platform, followed by President Hayes, to the strains of "Hail to the Chief." After the festive overture, the Right Rev. Bishop Simpson offered prayer, and an address was delivered by Clement M. Biddle, president of the Exhibition Company, introducing the choral, "Reign of Peace," when President Hayes made the proclamation: "I now declare the International Exhibition for the season of 1877 open." Hallelujah" was followed by an ode by John Welsh, and "March of the Sons of Columbia" was sung. Alfred T. Goshorn then made an address, when chorus, organ and cannon united in giving the Centennial hymn. Bishop Simpson bestowed the benediction and closed the inaugural ceremonies.

The crowd awaited the opening of the gates to the exposition grounds, and from 9 till 12 o'clock poured steadily into the grounds at the rate of 40,000 people an hour. Flags of all nations adorned the platform. The President reached the building at 2:15 P. M., where a battery on Fairmount Hill fired a salute of 21 guns in his honor. Seated about him on the platform were President Grant, Bishop Simpson, Secretary Cameron, Governor Hartranft, Gen. Goshorn, James G. Blaine and other notabilities, including city organizations. The Presidential party were then escorted through the building by the committee of arrangements, and this evening they will have a reception at the residence of Edward F. Steele, at Fairmount. The exhibits embrace many of the articles were most admired in the late Paris exposition. There is a large aquarium covering 1,000 square feet and other wonders. The management state that 100,000 persons are expected to-day. Gen. Grant was taken sick during the exhibition to-day, and arriving at the Union League House was taken with a chill and lay in blankets for nearly three hours. He was then thence to his residence, but was unable to attend the public reception to-night.

Exchange Matters.

NEW YORK, May 10.—The committee of the Stock Exchange, appointed to solicit regular reports of earnings and expenses from companies whose securities are dealt in at the Board, made report to the governing committee to-day. They have failed to accomplish the object owing to refusal of the companies to furnish the desired information. The report is very severe on certain companies, and closes with the recommendation that stock exchange rules be enforced, and new securities be strictly enforced, and that members refuse to give their names to such managers as have declined to furnish statements asked for.

Money and Stocks.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Silver bars, 127½ asked; Mexican dollars, 107½ bid. Gold; silver coin, 1 discount. Sterling opened 7, rose to 7⅛, closed 7@7⅛. Government, active; stocks, active, strong. Western Union 63⅜; Quicksilver, 13½; Pacific Mails, 21½; Mariposa, 4; Wells Fargo, 83; New York Central, 94⅞; Erie, 7½; Lake Shore, 90; Union Pacific, 67⅜; bonds, 105½; Pacific bonds, 105½.

South Carolina Legislature.

COLUMBIA, May 10.—The State Senate today decided to go into the election of chief Justice on Tuesday the 15th. The House will not.

The Senate passed a resolution authorizing and requesting the governor to invoke the aid of the President of the United States to have prisoners now held to answer charges of crime in order in the late political struggle.

From New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, May 10.—The Southern Baptist convention met to-day and elected officers, of whom Joseph H. Boyce, D. D., of Kentucky, is president.

In response to a proclamation by Nicholls, Governor, a thanksgiving service was held in all the churches, and a general holiday is observed.

Monument to Confederate Dead.

CHATTANOOGA, May 10.—Exercises of laying the corner stone of the monument dedicated to the confederate dead were conducted with Masonic honors. A detachment of U. S. troops under command of the 2d infantry band, participated.

American Bible Society.

NEW YORK, May 10.—The annual meeting of the American Bible Society was held this afternoon, the annual report showing receipts for the year of $564,370; the expenditures nearly all receipts. During the year the society has issued, were a total of 881,056.

Business Failure.

E. W. Whitney, chairman of the stock committee of the American Mining Exchange, and W. Badger, second vice president of the same, are reported on Wall street to have failed; liabilities unknown.

Sale of Short Horns.

CHICAGO, May 10.—In sale of short horns to-day the 22d Duchess of Airdrie brought the price of $15,000, E. Lippincott of Illinois the purchaser. Three Dukes of Airdrie brought $8,000, purchaser, Wm. Babcock of Illinois. Other sales not remarkable.

Priest Dead.

BALTIMORE, May 10.—Rev. Father Francis Xavier Schenfiens died this afternoon, 68 years old. Deceased was the founder of the Redemptorist order in America.

A Woman in the Case.

NEW YORK, May 10.—The *Times* says Conkling, one of the sharers in the old Tammany ring sports, has been missing for a week. Liabilities are $55,000. There is a woman in the case.

Tweed Again.

The *World* says Tweed is said by his friends to be a great sufferer and to be breaking down fast. It is not thought he will survive anything like a long imprisonment, or even that he will live long after released to remain in New York until he can do no further service to the city and State as a witness, and then leave the city forever.

Up for Riot at Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, May 10.—This morning a fierce encounter took place between striking coopers and the police. About 600 strikers, accompanied by 200 of their women, assembled at different entrances to the cooper shops of the Standard Oil Company to prevent men from going to work. The chief of police ordered them to disperse the mob by force, which was done. A number of strikers were severely injured. The officials of the Standard Company regard this as the last effort of the strikers to prevent men from going to work.

Explosion of Oil.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., May 9.—To-night a terrific explosion occurred in the wholesale store of Wm. E. Dunham, Pocasset street, in the entire city. A vast volume of flames shot up immediately. The building was entirely destroyed, also the adjoining one, occupied by the Hendrick Loom and Harness Co., and a French weekly paper, *La Protecteur*. L. L. Hamilton was killed. Loss, $30,000; partly insured. The cause of the explosion is unknown.

Body Recovered.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., May 10.—The last of the victims of the Wadesville disaster, Benjamin Moseby, was found at midnight. His body was neither burned nor scarred, and it is supposed he was smothered by choke damp.

Death of an Insurance President.

BOSTON, May 10.—Francis Bacon, president China Mutual Insurance Co., died to-day, aged 72.

Bail Forfeited.

NEWARK, N. J., May 10.—Benj. Noyes, indicted for conspiracy in connection with the New Jersey Mutual Life Insurance Company, failed to answer to-day, when his case was called. His counsel asked for postponement, saying Noyes was in New York, fearing arrest and imprisonment here on other charge before he could get bail. He would appear next week prepared to meet all charges. The court declared such proceedings a contempt, refused the application and declared bail forfeited.

Counterfeit Bank Notes.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Counterfeit 50s on the Central National Bank of this city have been discovered.

Woodin Exonerated.

The Senator Woodin committee have made a report concurred in by every member, and accepted unanimously by the Senate, that they were unable to find anything to substantiate the testimony of Wm. M. Tweed, and the charges are pronounced utterly without foundation.

The 4 1-2 Per Cent Bonds.

NEW YORK, May 10.—The *Evening Post* says the contract between the U. S. treasury and syndicate with regard to 4½ per cent. bonds expires by limitation on the 30th of June next. An effort is making to extend the contract as well as to induce the Secretary of the Treasury to give up the reserved right he has made in the contract to terminate it on 10 days' notice. The syndicate have already taken $150,000,000 of 4½ per cent. bonds, and it is understood that Secretary Sherman irrespective of considerations affecting the syndicate is in favor of issuing only $50,000,000 more of these bonds, he taking the ground that beyond that amount none of the 6 per cent. debt should be refunded in bonds bearing a higher rate of interest than four per cent.

Right in their Line.

NEW YORK, May 10.—The *Graphic's* Pittsburg special says: It is reported from Allegheny that the Excelsior Coffin Works, a large five story building, fell this afternoon, killing and wounding a great many persons.

Life Insurance Company to Wind Up.

The superintendent of the State Life Insurance department has made a report on the condition of the Atlantic Mutual Life Insurance Company of Albany, New York, in which he announces that while the stockholders will suffer largely, the interest of policy holders will be best protected by the winding up of the company.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Butler Endorses the Removal of his Nephew.

NEW YORK, May 10.—The *Times'* Washington special says: The Postmaster General has received from Gen. Butler a letter approving his course in removing George H. Butler. Ben. writes, if any part of the statement is true, you did exactly right, promptly to remove the offender. If Butler, drunk or not, was capable of acting in that way, he is utterly unfit to hold any position among gentlemen. I should not place the slightest confidence in the statement were it not that I could hardly conceive that the Postmaster General would remove an official upon so grave a charge without a hearing, unless after a careful investigation he had ascertained the truth of the statements as established by reliable witnesses beyond doubt. Therefore I assume the acts to your satisfaction, because, after what you told me of your unwillingness to change the appointment of Adams as postmaster at Deadwood, after charges had been made against him, lest the fact of removal would show that the charges had been sustained, I feel certain that you would act with like justice in any other case. Assuming this fact, therefore I most fully concur with and applaud your action in the premises, and would have acted as you have done when assured of these facts, had I been in your place.

Gold, Silver and Specie Payments.

NEW YORK, May 10.—The *Tribune's* Washington special says: During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1876, the estimated gain in the stock of gold in the country after making allowance for exportation and the amount used in the arts, was in the neighborhood of $8,500,000, while the gain in silver was about $22,000,000. During the present fiscal year not only has the entire product of our gold and silver mines been retained in the country, but in addition to this a small balance in our favor has resulted from our trade with foreign countries. The present movement of gold and silver towards Europe may destroy this balance before the close of the year, but it now seems probable that an amount of the precious metal equal to the entire product of our mines during the year will be retained in the country. This will be in the neighborhood of from ninety to one hundred millions, and as latest advices from the West show that a larger percentage of the white amount will be in gold than during the several previous years, the amount of that metal which will have accumulated by the 30th of June, 1877, will probably be at least about fifty millions. If then the administration should consider it wise to begin the accumulation of gold coin and bullion for the purpose of redeeming greenbacks on January 1st, 1879 it could probably do so without at present drawing heavily upon European stock, and without seriously disturbing the equilibrium of the money markets of the old world. It is not known that the administration contemplates anything of the kind, but it is undoubtedly true that Sherman will visit New York the latter part of the present week for the purpose of consulting with leading financial men on this subject.

The Rumors of Cabinet Changes.

NEW YORK, May 10.—The *Sun's* Washington special says the retirement of Devens from the cabinet is certain to occur at an early day. He has been offered the mission to Turkey, but will not accept. McCrary will be transferred to the Department of Justice, provided the right man can be found for the War Department. The *National Republican* of this morning says Senator Gordon has been consulted, and intimates that if he will accept the place he can have it.

The *World's* Washington special says Devens denied he was going to resign, and McCrary protested that he did not intend to leave the war office to take his place. Gordon, who is mentioned as the new Secretary of War, pronounces his part of it a falsehood, calculated and intended to help his enemies in Georgia.

More Crooked than the "Crooked."

CHICAGO, May 10.—The *Tribune's* Washington special says: Treasurer Sherman's investigations are revealing some strange things connected with the heavy compromises with whisky men in St. Louis and elsewhere, which will have to be explained.

NOVA SCOTIA.

Recruits for Halifax.

HALIFAX, May 10.—Three hundred soldiers are on the way from England to fill up the 20th and 97th regiments to full strength.

Marine News.

HALIFAX, May 10.—The schooner *Cobscook*, laden with flax for Barrington, capsized last night off Cape Sable. The captain and two men landed in a dory at Barrington. The rest of the crew, thirteen, were drowned.

The Salem Boating Club have resolved to get a gig built by LaChapelle of Portland. The cost will be $120.

THE WAR IN THE EAST.

General War Notes.

BUCHAREST May 10.—A great many Russian officers are here. Six thousand troops pass daily in the direction of Giurgevo and Budesti.

The Turkish commander-in-chief is at Shumla.

VIENNA, May 10.—It is reported that the Roumanian army will form the right wing of the Russian army and be increased by one Russian division.

A majority of the Roumanian Senate is opposed to war.

ATHENS, May 10.—A Greek iron clad has captured a vessel which clandestinely left Piracies. The crew are pirates and criminals from Asia Minor. Investigation has commenced.

LONDON, May 10.—A dispatch from Erzeroum dated yesterday, makes no mention of fighting. The Russian column which was going down the Persian frontier toward Van has stopped at Bayazid on account of lack of forage.

A Vienna dispatch says it is announced that 2,000 Caucasian rebels are under arms in the southern provinces of Russia.

A telegram from Odessa reports that the Russians have been unable to force Sogayanle Pass, and are waiting for reinforcements.

The *Standard* reports that a medical inspection of the army service corps was ordered yesterday.

The Russian center is awaiting near Kars and supporting the advance of two wings from Bayazid and Ardohen.

Attitude of the Poles.

VIENNA, May 10.—A meeting of Polish agitators was held at Lemberg, May 4th, to determine the policy of the Poles. The organization of a Polish legion was decided upon. The Polish leaders have resolved to abstain from creating any trouble with Austria.

Poles Insubordinate.

The Manchester *Guardian's* Berlin dispatch says the Czar is alarmed at the formation of a Polish Legion at Constantinople, and has ordered the Governor General at Warsaw to exercise the greatest vigilance to prevent Russian Poles from joining the Legion. All mitigations of the state of siege in Poland, enforced since the insurrection of 1863, will be revoked. Papers announce that leading Polish politicians at a meeting at Lemnburg resolved on the establishment of a recruiting bureau all over Poland with the hope of raising an army of 80,000. Six thousand have left already for Turkey. The national committee has appointed Count Raczenski as delegate to Constantinople.

The Herald Man and the Turks.

NEW YORK, May 10.—The *Herald's* London correspondent confesses that Sultan Abdul Hamid refuses to allow the *Herald* correspondent to accompany the Turkish army.

The Turks on the Danube.

LONDON, May 9.—A Bucharest dispatch says Turkish gunboats seized four vessels sailing under the Greek flag in the Danube. Two Austrian vessels were ordered to leave within an hour under the threat that they would be fired into if they remained. A Turkish monitor on Wednesday bombarded Satinow ten hours. A French gunboat has arrived at Sutina, at the mouth of the Danube, to protect French subjects in Dobrundschi.

The Imperial Guard.

The Russian telegraphic agency reports the Czar, addressing the officers at St. Petersburg, said he hoped if the Imperial Guard had to take the field it would sustain the honor of Russian arms.

Where the Danube will be Crossed.

VIENNA, May. 9.—A vigorous contest is expected between Kalafat and Widdin. The Russians propose to cross there, because the Turks have been greatly weakened by sending troops to Drabranchua.

Contradictory Reports.

LONDON, May 10.—A Paris correspondent says various accounts have been received of a skirmish opposite Ibrail on Wednesday. One says the Russians landed there but returned to Ibrail of their own accord after destroying the earthworks. Another account says the Russians were driven off by the Turkish monitors.

Destruction of Turkish Earthworks.

A Bucharest dispatch confirms the report of the destruction of the Turkish earthworks at Ketzcheta. The Russian infantry which landed for this purpose, sustained no loss, as the Turks were driven out by shells. Importance of the operation is that the Turkish monitors were able to shelter behind the Katzcheta earthworks and bombard Ibrail from thence.

Batteries at Rutschuk.

A special from Rustchuk, dated Wednesday, says the Russians have thrown up three batteries opposite there during the night. They are in great force and an attack considered probable.

Guns at Batoum.

A dispatch from Batoum says four steamers laden with Krupp guns and munitions of war arrived there.

Deserters Shot.

A special from Bucharest reports the arrest of several Russian deserters, nearly all of whom were shot at Otyn during the week.

The Sword and Prayer.

It is said the chief Rabbi at Constantinople orders prayers to be offered for the success of the Turks in all the synagogues of Roumania.

A Doubtful Report.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 10.—Journals report that Russians before Kars and Ardahan have retreated toward the frontier.

The Russian Loan.

LONDON, May 10.—The *Times* says of the advance which the Russian government obtained from Paris and Berlin bankers: The probable assumption is the advance is $16,000,000, and the syndicate retains the right of making a further advance of half as much again.

Organization of the Roumanian Army.

BUCHAREST, May 10.—The Prince of Roumania to-day assumed command of the Roumanian army, designating chief of staff and commanders of the first corps at Crakova and the second at Bucharest and Giurgevo, and appointing members of staff and commanders of divisions and brigades.

Servia will not go into the War.

Prince Milan and ministers have formally assured Count Andrassy that Servia will not disturb the peace.

Brilliant Strategic Operations of the Russians.

LONDON, May 10.—The Russian military operations at Ibrail and vicinity are designed to extend Russian control of the Lower Danube by closing the Sulina Pass. If this is successful, as appears probable, the Turkish fleet will be effectually debarred from assisting in defending Bulgaria, and the Danube substantially lost as a Turkish defensive line. Russia's prompt strategy there is admitted to be brilliantly sagacious. No effective opposition to Russians crossing of the Danube in force is now deemed probable.

If the Russians succeed in carrying the Sangaloo passes between Kars and Erzeroum, which is the only great depot of Turkish supplies in Asia Minor, Mouktar Pasha must choose between capture or precipitate evacuation of Armenia.

The Insurrection in Caucasia.

The news of the rising of Turks in Caucasia is important and seems to indicate serious trouble for the Russians, because the clans which have risen are in the immediate neighborhood of the high road from Tiflis to Vladikonkas, which is the only means of communication between Russia and Trans Caucasia.

Resisting the Draft.

The calling out of the military, which includes all male Bosnian and Herzegovinian Mahometans from 15 to 60 years of age, meets with stubborn opposition in the rural districts.

The Turks' Delay.

The delay in the Turkish attack on Montenegrin positions is explained by the great want of supplies and ravages of typhus scurvy and other diseases. Turks try to conceal this, but there is good authority for stating that three thousand troops are sick in Mostar alone. The same troubles rage in camp at Scutari.

Attempt to Cross the Danube Repulsed.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 10.—The Russians attempted to cross the Danube at Seni, but the Turkish artillery prevented them.

Defensive works are to be constructed around Constantinople.

Pera not Besieged.

PERA, May 10.—A state of siege will not be proclaimed here.

Cossacks and Bashi-Bazouks.

GALATZ, May 10.—This morning 300 Cossacks crossed the Danube in boats from Galatz to Ghiace and encountered a numerous body of Bashi-Bazouks. A smart engagement followed—unfinished at noon.

Roumanian Law-makers.

BUCHAREST, May 10.—The private meeting of Roumanian Senators and Delegates on Wednesday night failed to come to any decision. It is said the proposal for war would be defeated by a majority of 42.

Bombardment of Ottenitza.

Turkish gunboats bombarded Ottenitza four hours to-day. The Roumanians replied, and it is reported they silenced the gunboats and ignited Turtukan, on the opposite bank of the Danube.

The Firing at Ibrail.

VIENNA, May 10.—A correspondent reports that Turkish bombardment of Ibrail on Wednesday destroyed some large granaries. Shops are closed and the town deserted.

Time Extended.

A special from Constantinople says, at the request of England, the Porte extended the time for neutral vessels to leave Russian ports in the Sea of Azov to May 24th.

House of Commons.

LONDON, May 10.—In the House of Commons, Sullivan withdrew the question of which he gave notice on Tuesday. He should ask Monday next relative to the intimation of the Home Secretary that England would defend Egypt from interference or attack. The Under Secretary of the Foreign Department, in reply to a question by Jenkins, said no steps had been taken to send a naval force to the Danube. Such a step would lead to much misinterpretation and possible serious results. He said he had no information about the state of the Black Sea blockade, and no representations had been made about its insufficiency; said England had asked the Porte for further extension of time for entry to and clearance of vessels from blockaded ports. The Eastern debate was then resumed.

British Counsels.

LIVERPOOL, May 10.—The *Post's* London correspondent says when Mr. Cross boasted on Monday of entire unity of the cabinet, he was indulging in a flight of imagination. Truth is, nominal unity was only restored Saturday, and this result was obtained after angry discussion in the cabinet and threatened resignation of four members. Earl Beaconsfield was in favor of a violent and sensational policy. A British fleet had been ordered to rendezvous at Corfu with sealed instructions to sail for the Bosporus, and there was every probability that armed demonstration in favor of the Turks would be made. Gladstone's resolutions, or rather the expression of public feeling they invoked, put matters in an entirely different position. When the cabinet met Saturday several members declared they would expressly sanction an armed demonstration on the Bosporus. The four members to whom the country owes the final decision of the government in favor of neutrality are Lord Salisbury, Sir Stafford Northcote, Lord Carnarvon and Mr. Cross. They declared they would not support a warlike policy, and as their retirement would break up the government the prime minister and his warlike colleagues were compelled to submit. It should not, however, be forgotten that this policy is provisional and that the whole cabinet recognize that intervention may become necessary.

Foster said he was happy to think that it would not be so easy to drift into war at the close of the present debate, as it might have been previously. It could not embarrass the government to pass the present resolutions, as the government had already made declarations of similar purport. Foster's speech was a criticism of Earl Derby's reply. The whole tendency of the reply was dangerous. It was a very strong statement to say that Russia had broken the treaty of Paris by the step she had taken. If the government thought that to declare war instead of leaving the question to European mediation was a violation of that treaty, they should have told Russia so beforehand and found whether Russia would consent. He denied that England had a right to prevent Russia from attacking Egypt, and scouted the idea that Russia desired to capture Constantinople. He could not have voted for the third and fourth resolutions if Gladstone had maintained them, but before the outbreak of the present war he would have supported a declaration in favor of European pressure and coercion. He believed a majority of the House favored neutrality as far as is consistent with British interests, and said that the best way to protect those interests was to be ready to offer mediation at the first opportunity.

Sir Robert Peel, citing the case of Poland, ridiculed the conjunction of the name of Russia with civil or religious liberty. He hoped the government would not budge an inch from the position they had taken. He did not fear war but hoped it would be averted under the able management of the government.

The debate adjourned.

The conservative speeches preceding Foster's were principally characterized by strong anti-Russian tone. Chaplin declared that Russia, to a great extent, was responsible for the events which occurred last year in Bulgaria, and said that care should be taken to prevent Russia from setting her foot in Constantinople or interfering with the road to India, even if it was necessary to sweep the Mediterranean to secure that object.

A Bold Position.

LONDON, May 10.—During a debate in the Commons, Courtney advocated the Disraeli-Bermont of Turkey by force of arms and alliance with Russia for that purpose. Conservatives cried "No," and Liberals cheered.

British Jealousy.

British jealous suspicion of Russia's ulterior designs is becoming stronger than English abhorrence of Turkish barbarity and fanaticism, consequently the war feeling grows, though still restrained by the conviction that England, in entering the war, would have no ally but Turkey. The coolest heads here have the least fear of Russia's purposes, because they are satisfied that the Czar would dread a general war more than any other European power, therefore they scout the idea that he will attempt to possess Constantinople, or do any other act justifying British intervention. Again, English trading interests foresee that, in the event of intervention, Russia's Baltic fleet of over 200 ships, are free to speedily scatter to the seas, where it could inflict incalculable injury to British commerce and make America's opportunity to recover the shipping interest destroyed during the Southern rebellion.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

The City of Brussels.

LIVERPOOL, May 10.—Messrs. Inman believe that the steamer *City of Brussels* has broken her shaft. They say with prevailing winds, it would not be surprising if she does not arrive in a week or ten days yet. The same winds would account for her not being spoken, as they would drive her out of the course of steamers.

LONDON, May 10.—Reinsurances are being effected on the overdue steamer *City of Brussels* for fifteen guineas premium.

Steamship Dakota Lost.

LONDON, May 10.—The steamer *Dakota*, from Liverpool yesterday for New York, went ashore on the mainland inside the Isle of Anglesey. The crew and passengers were safely landed.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Dispatches state that the steamer *Dakota* was ashore on Point Lemas, 45 miles from Liverpool. Passengers and crew all saved, but the vessel and cargo are probably a total loss. At Point Lemas the coast is steep, rocky and exceedingly dangerous. Point Lemas is where the *Royal Charter*, an emigrant clipper, was wrecked on October 5th, when nearly 400 persons perished. About a year ago the steamer *Abbotsford*, a splendid ocean steamer, was wrecked here. The *Dakota* was about 3,500 tons burden, and valued at $750,000. She was commanded by Captain James Price, who has the reputation of being a thoroughly skilled and experienced mariner. The ship and cargo is supposed to be fully insured.

The *Dakota's* passengers will sail Saturday in the steamer *Wisconsin*. It is feared the *Dakota* will prove a total loss.

The Dakota Breaking Up.

LONDON, May 10.—The *Dakota* parted at noon to-day and is sinking. The crew narrowly escaped last night with the aid of the coast guard.

Bank of England.

LONDON, May 10.—Bullion in the Bank of England decreased £167,000 the past week.

Paris Bourse.

PARIS, May 10.—This being Ascension Day, the Bourse is closed.

Troops for the French Frontier.

PARIS, May 9.—The *Gazette de Lorraine* announces that Prince Hohenlohe, German ambassador, has informed the French government that the German garrison in Alsace and Lorraine will be considerably strengthened to restore the equilibrium between the military forces on both sides of the frontier.

The French Welcome to King William.

BERLIN, May 8.—The fact that President MacMahon sent Count De Gontaut Biron to Metz to welcome Emperor William, is highly appreciated as an indication of the continuance of the good understanding between France and Germany.

Alsace and Lorraine.

BERLIN, May 8.—A North German despatch states that the Minister of War will return Thursday from Alsace and Lorraine, where a measure corresponding to those adopted by France will be taken to secure, in a military sense, the safety of the new provinces.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco Stock Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 10.—Ophir 9¼, G & C 60, Mexican 5¼, B & B 11¼, California 21, Consolidated Virginia 27, Savage 2 80, H & N 1 80, Crown Point 4 60, Chollar 21¼, Jacket 4, Imperial 55c, Kentuck 2½, Alpha 3, Belcher 3¼, Confidence 2½, Sierra Nevada 1, Utah 4 60, Bullion 3 10, Exchequer 1 60, Overman 7½, Union 2¾, Justice 10, Julia 90c, Caledonia 1 30, Baltimore 3, Hill 90c, Andes 25c, Sheridan 4½, Leviathan 15c, Prospect 80c, Ward 10c, M Star 2¾, Trojan 40c.

EVENING BOARD.—R & E 3, Eureka 16, Jackson 2½, Belmont 30c, Leopard 1 05, Gilt 15c, Belle 1½, Manhattan 6½, Defiance 1 35, Prize 3, Modoc 2 65, N Coso 3 60, Commander 2, Crown Point 65, Leeds 85c, Con Va 28, Justice 3 90, Cala 27½, Mexican 5, Overman 7½ G & C 4 20, B & B 11, Opher 8¾, S Nevada 95c, Potsi 4 15, Chollar 20, Jacket 3 70, Bullion 2 95, Belcher 3 70, Exchequer 1½.

The Mint Investigation.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 10.—The *Call* to-morrow will publish a brief interview with Gen. La Grange, superintendent of the mint, with regard to the charges made against him by Pinney of crooked transactions in the management of the mint. The general showed the interviewer a copy of the proceedings of the investigating committee who examined the charges referred to, pronouncing each and every charge, there being some dozen or more, unfounded and untrue, but stated that the rules of the service debarred him from making the proceedings public, the Department holding that where its requirements were satisfied it was sufficient for the public.

Bank of California.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 10.—At a meeting of the directors of the Bank of California, on Tuesday, Michael Reese and Adam Grant, of Murphy, Grant & Co., were elected directors, *vice* James R. Keene and Robert Morrow, retired.

Morrow's Affairs.

Street gossip is making very free with Morrow's name for a few days past, and there is a rumor of a meeting of his creditors yesterday, but no definite information to the effect seems obtainable, and it is probably a mere street yarn.

A Tidal Wave.

A dispatch from Gaviota, San Luis Obispo county, to the Merchants' Exchange, says there was a great tidal wave there this morning. It commenced about ten minutes after seven, the sea rising twelve feet then receded and inside of twenty minutes rose and fell three times. No damage reported to property.

THE GREENBACK QUESTION.

PORTLAND, May 1, 1877.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

I notice, in your issue of this morning, the following editorial note:

The Cincinnati *Enquirer* claims to be in receipt of letters from all parts of Ohio which indicate that the Democratic party intends to stick to its financial record in that State in the canvass next fall. That is, it will go in for more greenbacks.

Now, if it is meant that the Democratic party of Ohio will go for more greenbacks, to the extent only of replacing the National Bank currency with legal tender notes, you are correct, but if it is intended to convey the idea that the aforesaid party are in favor of "inflation" (and it will be generally received as having that meaning), then you are in error. To show the exact position of the Ohio Democracy on the finance quest on, will you please publish the following extracts from their last platform, adopted May 17, 1876. They declared as follows:

1st. The immediate and unconditional repeal of the Republican resumption law.

2d. The defeat of all schemes for resumption which involve contraction of the currency, perpetuation of bank issues, or increase of the interest burden of the debt.

3d. The gradual, but early substitution of legal tenders for national bank notes.

4th. The issue by the general government alone of all the circulating medium, whether paper or metallic.

[5th. *No forced inflation*, no forced contraction, but a sound currency equal to the wants of trade and industry, to be regulated in volume and gradually equalized with gold by means of appropriate legislation, such as making it receivable for customs and interconvertible, at the pleasure of the holder, with a bond bearing interest, not to exceed 3.65 per cent., payable in gold, so that the volume of currency shall not be determined by the pleasure or caprice of either Congress or the banks.

6th. A graduated income tax to meet at least the premium on gold needed to pay interest on the public debt.

7th. That public policy and a sense of common justice require that silver issued by the government should be legal tender in payment of all debts, public and private, and that we demand the unconditional repeal of the so called silver act, so far as the same limits the amount for which silver currency shall be a legal tender.

It will be seen from a perusal of the above that the Ohio Democracy are no inflationists; that they demand only a volume of currency equal to the wants of trade, and that, if the assertions of capitalists are true, that we now have more money than is required, they are therefore chargeable with being contractionists rather than inflationists. But I will not ask your space for the purpose of defending their position on the finance question. It needs no defense. It appeals to the plain common sense of every man. Its practical statesmanlike views are its own highest encomiums. I will only say, however, that this greenback question will never be settled *until it is settled right*, and that the Ohio Democrats are in the right.

Rev. W. M. Probasco, with whom Bishop Morris was corresponding with a view to inducing him to come to Oregon, died recently at Massillon, Ohio. He was just

Daily Oregonian.

FRIDAY MORNING, MAY 11, 1877.

WAR AND WHEAT.

Oregon is a wheat-producing country, and in the minds of her people just now war and wheat are closely linked together. In fact they are the two halves of the same subject. The very same path of glory that leads to bloody fields in Europe, turns in another direction with us, and leads to golden profits in production of wheat. No subject is of more immediate or prospective interest with us than that of supply and consumption of breadstuffs abroad. In France, where all subjects relating to international economy are studied with more intelligence than elsewhere in the world, the statisticians of government have recently made an exhibit that places the total cereal production of Europe at 4,994,000,000 bushels per annum, of which Russia furnishes almost or quite one-third. Germany is next; but her production is less than half that of Russia. France follows close after Germany. The annexed table gives the French estimate of the amount of cereals produced for each inhabitant in the various states of Europe:

	Bushels.		*Bushels.*
Roumania	39.60	Ireland	13.65
Denmark	32.45	Turkey	12.65
Russia	22.23	Finland	12.10
Prussia	22.00	Great Britain	11.55
France	18.96	Saxony	10.40
Hungary	18.70	Servia	10.40
Bavaria	17.86	Holland	8.80
Sweden	15.11	Norway	8.51
German Duchies	14.00	Greece	8.51
Belgium	13.47	Italy	7.70
Spain	13.47	Portugal	7.70
Austria	12.91	Switzerland	6.76

In the United States the production to each inhabitant is nearly equal to that in Roumania, the highest in the above list. The estimate of the French economists is that the quantity of grain necessary for each inhabitant in Europe is fourteen and nine-tenths bushels per annum; from which it would appear that all the countries that come after Sweden in the list must have grain from other parts to supply a deficiency. Of England's supply for 1873 the countries now at war furnished a little more than twenty-two per cent, and the United States nearly one-half. The annexed table gives the sources of supply, the first column of figures indicating the number of centals, and the second the percentage of all from each country named:

United States	21,716,933	48.9
Russia	8,769,260	19.7
British India	3,279,887	7.4
Germany	2,324,148	5.2
Egypt	2,219,227	4.9
Turkey and Roumania	1,238,851	2.9
Chili	982,619	2.3
France	293,350	0.7
Denmark	262,813	0.6
Other countries	3,308,356	7.4
Total	44,394,152	100

The above represents wheat only. Of Indian corn England imported last year nearly as much, rather more than one-half of which was from the United States.

Wars in which Russia has been engaged have always sent breadstuffs up in the English market. During the Crimean war wheat sold very high; in 1854 the average rate at Liverpool was 72s 5d; in 1855 it was 74s 9d. This last figure is nearly ten shillings above present prices. The war between Prussia and Austria, in 1866, had little influence on the market. The period of hostilities was embraced within a few weeks, and as the war was so short and did not involve countries to which England looked as a main source of supply, there was little upward tendency; and the same may be said of the market during the war between France and Germany, in 1870.

In the United States the supply of wheat is far below that available this time last year. The failure in California for the coming harvest will be considerable enough to produce a sensible impression on the general market. Prices depend, of course, very much on the continuance of the war. The Russian and Roumanian supply for the English market is regarded as practically cut off till the war is over. This must continue to affect prices in a material way in England, and by consequence with us. We, therefore, are more specially and directly interested in the corollary of the war, namely, a long war for wheat, than in the war itself, considered as an historical event.

LEGISLATIVE CORRUPTION.

Is it any satisfaction to know that we are no worse than our neighbors? Legislative corruption has of en brought reproach on parties and individuals among us. Tweed's operations in the New York legislature have been partially revealed, and the rest is to be told. The Credit Mobilier corruption was unsavory enough to leave enduring momentoes of its offensiveness behind it. These are the great incidents of this sort of work; the multitude of smaller ones pass almost unnoticed. But we may not quite despair of our country as the one most hopelessly sunk in this description of corruption. It does not stand alone on so bad an eminence. Investigations in the Dominion Parliament produce revelations that show that the countrymen of Walpole have not forgotten the statesman's maxim of legislation, that every man has his price. Many members are shown to be involved in jobs of a most disreputable character. Among them is Anglin, Speaker of the House of Commons. Before adjournment a fortnight ago the committee on elections made a report on his case, declaring that the speaker had compromised himself by handling government contracts for profit, thereby voiding his election. A large number of members is implicated in various transactions. Some have resigned, unable to face the exposure, and suits amounting in the aggregate to six million dollars have been entered against the parties to compel them to disgorge the fruits of their unlawful and corrupt practices. To about a dozen of the members the corruption has been directly traced, and it is believed that only a small number of those actually implicated are as yet detected. As is the case with similar operations in our legislative bodies, the corrupt practices are not to be charged exclusively to one party or another. At this rate, if the Dominion should push its proposed Pacific railroad, the magnitude of its Credit Mobilier would throw ours into the shade.

It wouldn't be the courteous thing to give flat contradiction to the assertions of the organs that supported Mr. Tilden when they say that Mr. Hayes is exactly following Democratic policy. But the answer may be put with good effect in another way. If Mr. Hayes is doing so well and building up the opposition so tremendously, why do its organs continue to assail him? The factious course of the Democrats at the last session of Congress makes it necessary to hold a special session, which has been called for October. But this does not please the gentlemen who have been professing to praise Mr. Hayes. They wanted the session in June, hoping to witness a grand quarrel among their opponents. Postponement, they regretfully confess, will give opportunity for the dissensions that were brewing to subside. With those who look at things in this way party is always the chief good and final hope. It is partisanship to the last.

The Victoria *Standard* makes a heavy attack on the sham railway surveys to be conducted in British Columbia. It is asserted by the *Standard* that the sole object is to amuse and delude the people. Surveys already made are declared to be definite enough, and the farce is continued merely because the government is not yet ready to throw off the mask and announce its purpose not to build the road at all. No doubt this is all true. The scheme may well be called an impossible one in view of its difficulties, the certainty of failure as a financial project and the objection to building so long a road in close proximity to the international boundary line. A telegraph is already constructed from the East as far as Edmonton on the Saskatchewan, 807 miles west of North Red River.

A letter from Monmouth, published recently at Salem, very severely handles Mr. Burch, present superintendent of the penitentiary. It is fair to say that it has more of the pique of personality than is consistent with a purely public matter; yet an examination of private character is always in order with a view to determine a man's fitness for public place. And speaking of the superintendency of the penitentiary, we are reminded to ask once more where that letter of resignation that accompanied Mr. Watkinds' last report can be? It is a document of a public nature, and why has it been suppressed?

THE SLASHING STYLE.

Referring to the Republican opposition to the policy of the administration, the Washington *Capital* puts the thing in this way:

The worst feature of all is that the poor sufferers are so utterly helpless. If Rutherford B. only wanted another electoral returning-board swindle, were he but a candidate for a second term, they would hold him as they held other Presidents, most unpleasantly, in his dreary work in behalf of the party. But the man, somewhat amazed at being elected once, is not a candidate for a second term. With his cabinet of Democrat and doctrinaries, he treats their wrath with sublime contempt. When this cabinet hung doubtful in the Senate a friend hurrying to him gave the startling information that the Republican Senators would not confirm. "Well," said Rutherford B., with calm indifference, "if the Republicans do not the Democrats will." And now the Democrats will sustain the man they fought so earnestly against, not that they love him more, but these Republicans less. And they will confirm his appointments and pass his measures upon the same principle precisely that made Wendell Phillips advocate abolition—because the slaves were not his.

Sprightly remarks like these are apt to convince one of the truth of the profound observation made by the son of the Vicar of Wakefield, that the best things always remain to be said on the wrong side. Take the following from the Raleigh (N. C.) *News* as another view of the results of what the President is trying to do:

If Mr. Hayes inaugurated his Southern policy for the purpose of dividing the solid South he must have learned ere this that it is a failure. The South, rid of the carpet-bagger and the federal soldiers on police duty, will be more united than ever in opposition to the Republican party. The only political effect so far of "the Southern policy" is the splitting of the Republican party North into two irreconcilable factions, and we already have, as a result of this division, the assurance of a grand Democratic victory in 1880 if we will hold a united front to the enemy from this on. Ambitious schemers, incependent fellows, men who care not from what quarter of the political heavens the manna of office cometh so it comes! will endeavor to create dissensions among us, but the people will not be misled.

This, from the New York *Tribune*, is rather pungent:

The chronic Democratic comment on everything the President does is: "Oh, it is all well enough, but he has been so long about it. Mr. Tilden would have done the same thing in a quarter of the time." Mr. Tilden worked quickly but once in his life—when he tried to get that missing vote in Oregon, and everybody knows how successful he was then.

W. H. Parker is going to Mud Spring, Wasco county, to start a paper. He takes the material of the old Scio *News*.

NEW TO-DAY.

Parasols.—GINGHAM 37½, 50 AND 75c., Silk $2 50, $3, $3 50, $4, $4 50 and $5, for sale at 107 Third st., by JOHN WILSON.

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BETWEEN THE CENTRAL MARKET AND THE Postoffice, a plain Gold Anchor Charm. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving it at Hodge, Snell & Co.'s Store, Portland. m11

PICNIC EXCURSION POSTPONED.

THE PICNIC EXCURSION OF THE TAYLOR street M. E. Sunday School, announced for Saturday, May 12th, is postponed until further notice.

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May 10, 1877. B. L. NORDEN, Ch. of R.

Telegram, Standard and *Bee* copy.

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Portland, April 10, 1877. m10d3t2p

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Somnambula.....Bellini
Il Trovatore, (in English).....Verdi
Lucia di Lammermoor, (in Eng.)...Donizetti
Faust, (in English).....Gounod
La Fille du Regiment.....Donizetti
La Fille de Madame Angot.....Lecocq
Rose of Auvergne.....Offenbach

FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 11,

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Marie.....Miss Jeannie Winston
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Seattle, March 31, 1877.

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FRIDAY MORNING, MAY 11, 1877.

CITY.

SUBSCRIPTION CONCERTS.—It is announced that several prominent citizens have taken in hand the project of making up a handsome subscription list for three farewell operatic concerts of the Ilma de Murska Company. These concerts will take place after the return of the company from their present trip to Olympia, Seattle and Victoria. The opera nights will very likely be Thursday 24th, Saturday 26, and Monday 28th of the present month. Entirely new operas, and such only as can be given with satisfactory success, will be presented. Mayor Chapman, Messrs. Holman, Loewenberg, Frantz and others are interesting themselves in this matter and will use their best endeavors to make these farewell concerts a success.

A S. S. PICNIC.—The Oregon City *Enterprise* says: "The Sunday schools of this city have chartered the fine and commodious steamer C. T. Church, for a picnic excursion to Vancouver to-morrow, providing the weather is favorable. The boat will leave this city about 10 o'clock A. M., and will stop at Flanders' wharf, Portland, for those who wish to join the excursion, returning will reach Portland at 5 P. M. Tickets can be obtained at the postoffice and Pope's store. A general invitation is extended to all. The managing committee will make everything pleasant for all, and a jolly good time may be expected."

PASSENGERS.—This morning at 4 o'clock the Ajax will sail hence for San Francisco with the following passengers: Gen. Adair, Baker, B. Goldsmith and son, S. P. Walker and wife, Mrs. Neal and daughter, W. H. Chamberlain, Geo. W. Hume, Dr. L. Rotchford, Miss Meyers, Mrs. S. Isaac and child, Peters 2—James Madden, M. Gerald, Graham, J. McKenna, G. Fagan, Robert Dodd and wife, Mrs. O'Donnell, H. Harvey, Van Zelt, Geo. H. Johnson, N. W. Silsby, A. Thompson, wife and three children, G. B. Purcell, W. N. Maggett.

WEATHER REPORT.—From the records of the U. S. Signal Station of Observation, Portland, Oregon, May 10, 1877:

	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
Barometer reduced to sea level	30.150	30.120	30.090
Thermometer	51	65	62
Relative Humidity	78	48	61
Wind, direction	N	NW	N
Wind, velocity	3	4	3
Weather	Cloudy.	Clear.	Clear.

Mean daily barometer 30.120
Mean daily thermometer ..... 59°
Total precipitation in inches ..... .68
Total movement of wind in miles 422

SUPPOSED LOST.—Our Astoria correspondent writing under date of May 9th says: "One of Kinney Bros.' fishing boats dropped out over the Sand Island night boat found to-day on the ocean beach, bottom up, north of Cape Disappointment lighthouse; no signs of the two men who were in her. They doubtless met a watery grave. I have not learned their names yet."

CHARITABLE MASS.—Says the *Sentinel*: In consequence of Rev. L. Verhaag having to celebrate mass in St. John's church, Milwaukie, on next Sunday, there will be no service in East Portland. Mass will be at 10½ A. M., at which those who have not made their Easter communion will now have an opportunity to do so.

FIRE ALARM.—The alarm last evening was caused by the breaking of the wire through some cause. The failure of a second alarm gave the firemen a correct impression at once and they forthwith housed their apparatus thus saving an unnecessary run.

TEMPERANCE LECTURE.—H. H. Crosier will lecture on temperance in St. John's next Saturday evening, and preach at the same place on the following Sabbath at 10:30 A. M., and at the Methodist house at 2:30 P. M.

PATENT RECEIVED.—Charles Dickenson of this city, has obtained a patent for an improved life raft, and R. M. Warren for an improvement in the pans used for cooking at sea in steamers.

BOARD OF DELEGATES.

REGULAR MEETING, MAY 10, 1877.

The Board of Delegates of the Portland Fire Department met at the police court room, Pos. Bachman presiding. Present—Moreland, Simon and Spencer, of Company No. 1; Bachman and Hallock, of No. 2 Hatch and Whalley, of No. 3; Braden, Holman and Taylor, of No. 4; Joyce, Love and Madden, of No. 5, and Dyball, Temple and Wygant, of Hose Co. No. 1.

Absent—Arthur, of No. 2, and Young, of No. 3.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Communications from the secretaries of companies were read, announcing the resignations, suspensions, elections and expulsions in their respective companies during the past month were read and appropriately disposed of.

The committee on rules submitted a report embodying rules and order of business for the government of the board; on motion the report was laid on the table till next meeting.

Active certificates were granted to a number of newly elected members.

The special committee on copying records reported recommending that the department register and ledge book be ordered transcribed at a cost not exceeding $25, and that when such work is done and approved by the board, such transcribed records have the same force and effect as the originals. The report was adopted.

Pending the consideration of a communication from H. W. Corbett, in reference to a mistake in reporting against the Department, a false alarm of fire on the 3d inst., the Board adjourned.

THE LITERARY ENTERTAINMENT.

The society gave a very enjoyable entertainment last night, but we are sorry to say it was very sparsely attended. We think that our public should patronize entertainments of this character much more than they do. The programme consisted of readings declamations, essays and music as follows:

1. Piano Duet, Misses Waltz and Northrup.
2. Salutatory Address, Wm. Simpson.
3. Essay, Decoration Day, double quartette, young ladies.
4. Declamation, Jas. Schneider's Ride, Arthur Anthony.
5. Essay on Essays, Oscar Heintz.
6. Music, The Bugle Horn, quartette, Misses Carman and Dickenson, and Messrs. Watson and Struble.
7. Reading: Night of Troubles, N. B. Ingersoll.

PART SECOND.

1. Piano Duet, Misses Munson and Carson.
2. Essay, Miss Ella Carson.
3. Declamation, Death of Arnold, Grover Simpson.
4. Duet, vocal, Under the Beautiful Stars, Misses Anderson and Robb.
5. Reading: Father Phil's Collection, John Gill.
6. Valedictory—The May Queen in three parts—Miss Agnes Stanard. This selection was read by Miss Ada Northrup.
7. Song—Farewell to Home, by Wallace Struble, Simpson, Jr., Simpson, Sr., Northrup, Gill, Watson, Black and Cox.

We do not know that we can particularize any of the above as they were all good and well rendered, and by the general request of the audience present the society was requested to repeat the above at an early day.

AMUSEMENTS.

LOUISE OPERA COMPANY.—The operatic season of Jeannie Winston Opera Company, though not as successful as it deserved, is fully as well supported by our citizens as might be expected in view of the attractions that have preceded it. The last performance last evening was fully as large as upon any occasion previous, which is certainly complimentary to the company. Balfe's beautiful opera of the Bohemian Girl, was presented, the cast being supported by the introduction of "Bada," personated by Miss Rose Chapelle. The continued applause following each solo and chorus was sufficient proof that the auditors were pleased with the vocal powers of the company. The prologue with the introduction of little Ebbra White, served to give the cast and tone a clearer insight of the opera and added materially to create interest throughout. The admirable selection will be presented to-night—Donizetta's military opera in three acts—"The Daughter of the Regiment." This sparkling opera will never be presented before in Portland, and will undoubtedly be greeted by an overflowing house. The opera has been very carefully rehearsed, and will be rendered with an excellent cast with strict regard to costume and effects. The following is the cast: "Marie," Miss Winston; "Archioness," Miss Lefevre; "Tonio," W. H. Hills; "Sulpice," S. D. Farley; "Hortensius," A. H. Bell.

PERSONAL.

Wm. H. Watkinds is in the city.

J. Goldsmith, Esq., is a passenger on the outgoing steamer.

Per. Geo. H. Atkinson left on the last steamer for a brief visit to California.

Eugene Sprague, Superintendent of the N. P. R. R., is now sojourning in the city.

Lev. T. L. Eliot will leave St. Louis in a few days for Portland. He will be accompanied by his family.

T. A. L. Lindsley, of this city, was called away last week to assist in organizing a Presbyterian church on Clatsop plains.

First Lieut. Wm. H. Boyle, who has been with Gen. Howard among the Indians, returned from the front on Tuesday evening.

A beautiful oil chromos, size 9x11, by mail, post paid, for $1, at Tichner's, 126 First street.

A PORTLAND POLICEMAN "SET UP."

The citizens of Portland have good reason to rejoice at the result of the trial, had to-day before His Honor, Judge Adams. The facts as elicited on the trial are as follows:

Mrs. Hannah M. Smith, who resides on the corner of Tenth and Stark streets had her horse taken from the yard and placed in the pound. The rope with which the horse was tied was cut with a knife—Charles Lawrence, the prosecuting witness, was found in possession of the horse. Mrs. Smith, assisted by Mr. T. McF. Patton, attempted to get the horse away from him. Mr. Patton reported this outrage to Police Commissioner Durrell, also to Chief Lappeus. Lawrence thereupon filed complaint against Mr. Patton for using abusive language. Mr. Patton determined to do what but few others dared to do—to probe the official conduct of Lawrence to the bottom,—to have a legal examination as to who is responsible for his appointment, and why such a character is retained. He demanded a trial by jury which was granted.

A large number of witnesses were examined, and some "tall" swearing done on the part of the prosecution. Mrs. Smith testified positively that she was within a few feet of Mr. Patton, and he uttered no such language as went with her and returned. Mr. Stone testified that Mr. Patton immediately after breakfast went down town with him to First street.

In the afternoon, the prosecution reinforced, but it was too fallen to put even respectability into the case. As to the character of the prosecuting witness we submit the following testimony from four of our most respected citizens.

WM. BECK.

How long have you lived in Portland? *A.*—About 25 years.

State to the court and jury if you know the general reputation of this man, Chas. Lawrence, for truth and veracity in this community. *A.*—Well, I have seldom ever heard anything good said of him; his general reputation has always been very bad.

With reference to his truth and reliability? *A.*—Yes, always very bad.

What is your occupation? *A.*—I keep a gun store here in Portland.

Cross examination.—Did you ever hear any person say that Charley Lawrence would not tell the truth? *A.*—I have heard lots of them say they would not believe him; it is every day talk; I hear it very often; I don't know that I could mention any one in particular, but it is every day talk; everybody knows that he won't tell the truth, and would not believe him; I would not believe him myself, I know.

WM. WADHAMS.

How long have you lived in Portland? *A.*—Since 1865.

What is your business? *A.*—A am a wholesale merchant.

Do you know the general reputation of Charles Lawrence in this community for truth and veracity? *A.*—Yes, sir.

What is it? *A.*—It is bad.

From your knowledge of his general reputation would you believe him under oath? *A.*—I would not.

JOHN B. FOSTER.

What is your occupation? *A.*—I am a hardware merchant.

How long have you been in Portland? *A.*—I have lived in Portland since 1857.

Do you know the general reputation of Charles Lawrence in this community for truth and veracity? *A.*—Well, his general reputation, as I have it on the street, is bad. I know nothing of my own personal knowledge.

Cross examination.—Are you one of the police commissioners? *A.*—Yes, sir, I am.

Is Mr. Lawrence not deputy pound master now? *A.*—He is, I suppose.

The jury were out about five minutes, and returned a verdict of *not guilty*.

Whereupon the court ordered the defendant discharged, and costs in the case amounting to about sixty dollars to be taxed against the prosecuting witness.

This is about the first case on record where a prominent member of the Portland police made complaint against a citizen—was himself tried, his character shown up, found guilty—and required to foot a heavy bill of costs.

EAST PORTLAND AND VICINITY.

A number of immigrants have recently bought farms in Powell Valley. Many others are inquiring for government lands.

The present number of inmates at the Insane Asylum is 231. One died last week. The highest number ever reached at one time was 232.

Good dwelling-houses are in great demand in East Portland. A few unoccupied ones build now are still unoccupied, and can be had at very low rates.

Prof. C. C. Hall, principal of the public school, has in his department enrolled 65 pupils: Miss Maggie Irving, assistant teacher, 120; Miss Thomas, about 60.

The OREGONIAN is a welcome visitor to many families on this side of the river. The carrier is accommodating, and the paper is ahead of all others for news.

Two ferryboats ply every ten minutes between Portland and East Portland—both companies endeavoring to accommodate the traveling public to the extent of their ability.

The late rains have been of inestimable value to gardeners and farmers in all this section of the country. The prospects of large crops of fruit, grain and vegetables was never more cheering.

Lumber is on the ground for the new addition to the Odd Fellows' Hall. The contract for the work has been let to Mr. G. Crawford, and will be completed by the 1st of July. Cost, about $900.

Appropriate services were held in St. Francis' church on Thursday morning and afternoon last, in commemoration of the day. Next Sunday, Father Verhaag will officiate at Milwaukie.

Mr. Anthony Stansberry, who has just taught a very successful term in the public school near Aurora, has returned home. Mr. S. is a student of medicine, and will doubtless succeed in his profession.

Prof. Parrott, leader of the East Portland Brass Band, is usefully engaged in imparting private instructions in instrumental music to various parties in this vicinity. All speak well of his ability and success.

Arrangements are being made for an interesting excursion by steamboat to the Cascades of the Columbia. It will come off on next Saturday week, May 19th, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society.

A very pleasant church sociable was held on Wednesday evening last at the Methodist parsonage. No stiffness or formality was observable, but all seemed to enjoy the hours of the evening in an unusual degree.

Clothing! Clothing! Clothing! Latest novelties of both home and foreign fabrics, and at prices so unprecedentedly low as to convince you that you will accomplish an immense saving by purchasing at Kohn's Clothing Palace, cor. First and Morrison sts.

The happiest girl in town is the one who took coffee at Fabre's.

M. ROSENBLATT has returned from San Francisco with a large and well selected stock of men and boys' clothing. He intends to sell his stock at cost for the next thirty days, as he expects a large shipment of clothing from New York soon. The cheapest house is 79 Front street, bet. Stark and Washington.

For Corsets, go to the Emporium of Fashion.

Ladies take notice! The cheapest place in the city to buy linen suits is at J. Harris & Son's Emporium of Fashion.

Drawing school every Saturday afternoon at the office of Williams & Krumbein, architects.

Captains and pilots will note the fact that Peter Wilhelm has fitted up two rooms for their especial use at the Fountain, corner Ash and First streets. Number of English papers on file, including the London *Daily Shipping and Mercantile Gazette*.

The young man who has been saving up to buy a summer outfit cannot do better than to lay out the money at Beck & Waldman's. They have fixed the prices to accommodate the poorest mortal.

The Medical Institute of Dr. W. L. Adams, corner of First and Salmon streets, will be removed to Hood river in a few months. Till then chronic diseases of men and women will be treated in Portland as usual. An accomplished lady assistant to give baths to ladies and assist in their treatment always in the office.

Those elegant new style linen suits just arrived from New York. Prices so low you will be astonished. At Dr. Warner's Corset Depot, Third street, near Morrison. Sent by mail, post paid, $6 to $10.

Large new coffee mill for sale at half price. F. Powers.

Next to the opera, the lunches at Barnes' are the thing.

THE BRIEF NOTES.

Steamer gone.

Opera to-night.

Ripe strawberries.

Glorious weather.

New opera to-night.

Matinee to-morrow.

Grand concert to-night.

Tammany Day to-morrow.

The steamer sails this morning.

"Giroflé Girofla," to-morrow evening.

Remember "La Fille Du Regiment," to-night.

The bridge question is still under advisement.

The office at the Clarendon Hotel is being renovated.

The pet lamb at the boat-house has "passed in his checks."

County Court adjourned Wednesday afternoon until to-day.

Croakers about the weather will have to ask pardon of the clerk now.

The English Opera Company will appear at Salem on the 21st and 22d inst.

LaChapelle has built a new boat-house, his stock of boats having been greatly increased.

Prof. E. C. Taylor returned last evening from up the valley, after a very successful trip.

Deputy Postmaster Chittenden has charge of the postoffice. Chitt. is an old and efficient officer.

Pantaloon pockets are made so low in the leg now that a man can pull up his socks without anybody knowing it.

The steamer *Ordway* will leave for the Tammany picnic grounds at 9, 10 and 11 A. M., and 1, 2 and 3 P. M., to-morrow.

The fine new carriage belonging to the Oregon Transfer Company has been repainted and furnished and is once more in service.

Mr. George F. Greene, together with Mr. Brown, has purchased the Oro Fino saloon and will conduct it as heretofore—in the best manner.

Passengers from San Francisco for Portland, via Victoria, per *Dakota*, May 10th: F. Dayton, R. F. Hall, W. Olney, and five in the steerage.

A 268-fathom net, manufactured on the Jensen machine, was shipped to Jackson, Meyers & Co.'s Rainier fishery yesterday. The machine is working at S. G. Bunting's carriage shop.

The Sisters of St. Anne, who have two schools at Victoria, V. I., are about to open a school for girls at Nanaimo, B. C., where several members of the community have recently secured suitable grounds and buildings.

THE BLUE LAWS.

Much has been said and written concerning the famous "Blue Laws of Connecticut." By some means James A. Smith, Esq., County Clerk, has obtained a true copy of these laws, which are now on exhibition at his office. Thinking that these old and novel statutes would be read with some degree of interest, we have copied verbatim a number of the sections, which are presented below:

Section 5. Conspiracy against this Dominion shall be punished with death.

Sec. 6. Whoever attempts to change or overturn this Dominion shall suffer death.

Sec. 7. The judges shall determine controversies without a jury.

Sec. 8. No one shall be a freeman or give a vote unless he be converted, or a member in free communion in one of the churches in this Dominion.

Sec. 9. No food or lodging shall be given to a Quaker, Adamite or other heretic.

Sec. 10. No one shall cross a river without an authorized ferryman.

Sec. 11. No one shall run of a Sabbath day, or walk in his garden, or elsewhere, except reverently to and from church.

Sec. 12. No one shall travel, cook victuals, make beds, sweep houses, cut hair or shave on the Sabbath day.

Sec. 13. No woman shall kiss her child on the Sabbath or fasting day.

Sec. 16. Whoever publishes a lie to the prejudice of his neighbor, shall sit in the stocks, or be whipped fifteen stripes.

Sec. 17. Whoever wears clothes trimmed with silver or bone lace, above two shillings per yard, shall be presented by the grand jurors and the selectmen shall tax the offender at the rate of £300 estate.

Sec. 18. Whoever brings cards or dice into this dominion, shall pay a fine of £5.

Sec. 19. No one shall read common prayer, keep Christmas or Saint Day, make mince pies, dance, play cards, or play on any instrument of music except the drum, trumpet, and the Jew's harp.

Sec. 20. When parents refuse their children suitable marriages, the magistrates shall determine the point.

Sec. 21. The selectmen, on finding children ignorant, may take them away from their parents, and put them into better hands, at the expense of the parents.

Sec. 22. A man that strikes his wife, shall pay a fine of £10. A woman that strikes her husband shall be punished as the court direct.

Sec. 23. Married persons must live together or be imprisoned.

Sec. 24. Every male shall have his hair cut round according to a cap.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Read Clarke & Henderson's card.

Particular attention is called to Collier's Machine Works, 41 Front street. They can give satisfaction in that line, depend upon it.

Birmingham, the upholsterer, 156 First street, says his business for the past month has been satisfactory. Good work and low prices does it.

The largest assortment of Ladies' Dolmans in the city at J. Harris & Son's.

MRS. S. A. OWENS, M.D., Office and Residence, east side First street, between Yamhill and Taylor. Special attention given to Women and Children complaints. Also gives Medicated Vapor Baths, combined with Electricity, in treating Rheumatism and Chronic Diseases.

HEMORRHOIDS OR PILES.

Dr. T. F. Wightman, the originator and proprietor of the "Wightman Process" for the cure of Piles, blind or bleeding, is at present in San Francisco, California, where all letters should be addressed. Persons desiring the "process" can have it sent C. O. D. by express. The success that Dr. T. F. Wightman had a year since in Oregon in curing the diseases of the rectum will be his recommendation. I refer to the following patients in Oregon—I have no "agents": Jno. M. Bacon, P. M., Oregon City; E. M. Waite, Salem; A. Jennings, engineer O. & C. R. R., and many others.

Address Dr. T. F. Wightman, Cosmopolitan Hotel, San Francisco, Cal.

CORN REMEDY.

Dr. Halpruner's Patent Salve, for the cure of CORNS, BUNIONS, &c., is for sale by all druggists.

For invalids and family use the Noble Whisky is now exclusively recommended by the drug trade throughout the United States, which is the best acknowledgment of its purity and its medical virtues.

NOTICE.

The undersigned in taking leave of Portland returns his sincere thanks for the liberal patronage that has been bestowed, and would bespeak for his successors a continuance of the same.

Both DRS. BARBER & NICKLIN, are gentlemen in every way competent and worthy of any confidence that may be placed in them, and as such I can conscientiously recommend them to my former friends and patrons. J. H. HATCH.

FINNEN'S HAVANA CIGAR STORE,

Opposite Strowbridge's Block, has on hand and for sale a large assortment of fine Cigars, Chewing and Smoking Tobacco, the best, cheapest and largest assortment in the city. Call, judge for yourself, and be convinced that I give more satisfaction for your money than any other retail store here.

98 FIRST STREET.

NOTICE.

Parties in want of Diamond Cross Cut Saws can now get a full supply, all sizes, at the hardware house of Kirk Sheldon, East Portland.

Portland Steam Scouring Mills Scour and renap Blankets; scour and replick Mattresses; scour Ply and Ingrain Carpets; Brussels Carpets threshed, cleansed and spots removed. Leave orders at Weeks & Morgan's and Powers' Furniture Store.

PLEASURE BOATS.

JOHN LACHAPELLE, Boat Builder, is prepared to furnish Boats for Sale or Rent at any moment. Boat-house Foot of Pine street.

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CHANCE & WELCH, Dentists, Office—FIRST STREET, (Odd Fellows' Temple.)

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SUMMER CAMEL'S HAIR,

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Of all Shades with Trimmings to match.

Piques and Marseilles, Black and Col'd CASHMERE SHAWLS,

A full assortment of

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Children's long and short MARSEILLES CLOAKS, FANS of all descriptions, New supply of LINEN SUITS.

In the Millinery line, everything of the most recherche style.

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A FIRST CLASS SALESMAN WHO IS WELL acquainted with the city trade. Good references required. Also, an errand boy.

PATRIARCHAL DAY.

I. O. O. F. M.—ORIGIN AND OBJECT OF THE ORDER.

Among the improved Order of Red Men to-morrow, May 12th, is Tammany Day, which is as sacredly and faithfully observed each year by that order as the Odd Fellows celebrate the 26th of April, the anniversary of the introduction of that order in the United States, or our Irish citizens the 17th of March. According to the Order of Red Men, Tammany, or St. Tammany, was traditionally or symbolically the founder of the order and is, therefore, its patron saint. It is not known definitely whether the existence of Tammany was real or mythical, but it is, however, supposed the great Sachem bearing that title lived at one time, and was regarded by the North American Indians with a deep and superstitious reverence. To him was imputed the power of dispensing good and evil, averting calamities, to shower down blessings, miraculously save life or visit direst vengeance on enemies. In fine, this great visible or invisible, real or mythical Sachem was a good or evil genius of the red men of the forest. The date of the birth of this extraordinary chief is fixed on the 12th of May. During his natural life (if, indeed he ever had one) Tammany had, by reason of the great attributes of powers and know edge imputed to him, held indisputable sway over the superstitious minds of the red men, and at his death was placed chief among the Indian gods.

The Improved Order of Red Men, having its origin in the manners, customs, habits, observations, etc., of the North American Indians, takes up the character of Tammany and symbolically places him as a patron saint of the order, as did the aborigines. As the presiding deity of the Order it appears but natural and proper that the birth of such a great great personage should be observed with appropriate ceremonies. For many years the Order of Red Men have celebrated the advent into the world of this traditional sachem with picnics, excursions, music, orations, and various festivities. In conformity with long established usages the Red Men of Portland propose to celebrate St. Tammany Day with the usual ceremonies to-morrow by an excursion to Willamette Park Grove.

The Improved Order of Red Men is a confraternity for the promulgation of principles of true benevolence and charity, and for the establishment of friendly bonds between men. Its origin is as the name clearly indicates, purely American, dating its history prior to the early days of the Revolution, and having its full birth about the year 1812, among the patriotic soldiers of Fort Mifflin on the Delaware river. It is the oldest protective and benevolent society of American birth. The secresy of this order consists in the idea that secresy is right and proper in those matters which concern the private interests of a common family.

Its name, chosen as above indicated, is expressive in the highest degree of its origin, and is peculiarly appropriate to the society which has a history co-equal with the history of the American continent. The order receives within its folds all who are privileged to associate in daily life, and counts among its membership the natives of many climes, and men speaking many tongues. Its emblems are drawn from nature alone, and are symbolized in every scene upon which the eye can rest, and are all of the most beautiful and significant character.

NEW BOOKS.

The following new books have just been received and added to the Portland Library:

Feme Fleming; A Novel; by Mrs. Catharine A. Warfield.

The Fatal Secret; by Mrs Emma D. E. N. Southworth; and other stories by her sister, Mrs. Francis Henshaw Jaden.

Long Lost Home; a book for boys and girls; by Edward Abbott.

Silhouette Illustrations; by Helen Maria Hinds.

The Jericho Road; a story of Western life.

The Gold of Chickaree; by Susan and Anna Warner; by the authors of Wych Hazel.

Rosine; A Novel, by J. G. Whyte Melville.

Nick Whittles, the Trapper Guide; by Dr. H. Rolfinson.

Milly Darrell; A Novel; by Miss M. E. Braddon.

How to Camp Out; by John M. Gould.

MILITARY NOTES.

A general court-martial will convene at Fort Lapwai, Idaho Territory, Wednesday, May 2, 1877, at 10 A. M. or as soon thereafter as practicable, for the trial of such persons as may be properly brought before it. Detail for the court: Captain Jenkens A. Fitzgerald, assistant surgeon; First Lieutenant William H. Boyle, 21st infantry, aide-de-camp; First Lieutenant Melville C. Wilkinson, third infantry, aide-de-camp; First Lieutenant Edward R. Theller, 21st infantry; First Lieutenant P. S. Bomus, first cavalry; Second Lieutenant Robert H. Fletcher, 1st Infantry, Judge Advocate of the Court.

Boston Advertiser: Honest Republicans have but one course to pursue, and that is to maintain the Republican administration's title to office, and this they can do in no better way than by defending the title of S. B. Packard to be Governor of Louisiana. The two titles are one and inseparable in equity, and must stand or fall together.

The Best Recuperant

Of failing energy, that to which the fagged out man of business, the brain-fatigued author, the tired advocate or the weary artisan can resort with the greatest certainty that it will revive his overwrought powers, is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a most genial tonic cordial, as well as a benign remedy for disorders of the stomach, liver and bowels and urinary organs, and a means of eradicating and preventing intermittent and remittent fevers. It not only carries the blood and creates a new fund of energy in the system, but it has the effect of expelling impurities from the life current which beget disease. The injurious effect of abrupt transitions of temperature, of nowhole ome climate and injurious diet, are counteracted by it, and it promotes digestion, appetite and sound repose. Give it a trial and be convinced.

Magic of the Mouth.

Cuticura's SOZODONT renders the mouth enchanting. Composed of rare antiseptic herbs, it imparts whiteness to the teeth, a delicious flower-like aroma to the breath, and preserves intact, from youth to age, the teeth.

Sensible Advice.

You are asked every day through the columns of newspapers and by your druggist to use something or Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint that you know nothing about. You get discouraged spending money with but little success. Now to give you satisfactory proof that GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER will cure you of Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint, with all its effects, such as sour stomach, Sick Headache, Habitual Costiveness, Palpitation of the Heart, Heart-burn, Water brash, coming up of food after eating, low spirits, &c., we ask you to go to your druggist and get a Sample Bottle of GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER for 10 cents and try it, or a Regular size for 75 cents. Two doses will relieve you. Agents, Crane & Brigham, Wholesale Druggists, San Francisco.

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Howe Machine Co.	109,294
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Domestic Sewing Machine Co.	23,587
American B. H. &c., S. M. Co.	17,937
Weed Sewing Machine Co.	14,425
Wheeler & Gibbs S. M. Co.	12,758
Remington S. M. Co.	12,716
Gold Medal Sewing Machine Co.	7,185
Victor Sewing Machine Co.	5,750
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Dancing Floor 60x60.

For terms apply to CHARLES KAISER, on the Grounds, or P. J. MARTIN, 97 Front street. a9th

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Oregon Bonanza Gold and Silver Mining Company.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A meeting of the Board of Directors of said Company, held May 8, 1877, an assessment, No. 2, of one half of one per cent. was levied upon the capital stock of the Corporation payable immediately in U. S. gold coin, at the secretary's office, No. 70 First street, Portland, Oregon. Any and all stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid after the 1st day of June, 1877, will become delinquent and subject to sale under the provisions of the by-laws of the Corporation.

WARD B. STEVENS, Secretary.

Office 70 First street, opp. Ladd & Tilton's Bank, Portland, Oregon.

GOOD TIMES COMING!!!

RUSSIA AND TURKEY "AVER "LOCKED HORNS:" England, Austria and Greece are rolling up their sleeves; wheat is booming; immigrants pouring in rapidly; fat are in California; prospects never better for a large crop in Webfoot; silver by the acre on Camp creek, and general rejoicing at the RETAIL BANK.

$1,000—$800—$200—$5,000 on Real Estate Security.

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For the coin see

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Milk from Grass-Fed Cows,

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ROOMS OPEN EACH DAY AND EVENING. Regular classes on Tuesdays and Fridays at 8 P. M. Gentlemen desiring instruction and use of rooms will apply to the Secretary, Mr. R. J. LINDEN, No. 9 North Front street. Scholars under eighteen apply to Mr. A. E. MILLER, Leader.

T. B. TREVITT, President.

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The Daily Oregonian.

FRIDAY MORNING, MAY 11, 1877.

MEMORY'S STONE.

If he had come in the early dawn,
When the sunrise flushed the earth,
I would have given him all my heart,
Whatever the heart was worth.

If he had come at the noon-tide glow,
He would not have come too late;
I would have given him patient faith,
For then had learned to wait.

If he had come in the evening glow,
In the peace of the eventide,
I would have given him words and brains,
And worked for him till I died.

If he comes now, the sun is set,
And the light has died away;
I will not give him a working life,
But will sit and say him Nay.

—*Court Journal.*

IMPORTANT INDUSTRIAL PARAGRAPHS

We have a pamphlet from Jones & Patterson, of Salem, which gives an account of an important enterprise carried on at that place which deserves to be more widely known. This is the business of the Pacific Threshing Machine Company. Their enterprise is an important home institution. They make Pelton's six-fold horse-power and counterbalance separator, which is recognized wherever tried as a first-class machine. Many testimonials of last year's work have been received by the company. Their establishment is at the premises formerly occupied by D. L. Rigs.

The *British Colonist* states that the *direct* pecuniary loss to Nanaimo in consequence of the strike has been already $40,000, and if it should continue a year the loss would amount to a quarter of a million. But worst of all "the Nanaimo coal trade is in danger of being diverted to other points." Says the *Colonist*: "With the last year Seattle has become the chief coal producing point on the Pacific. She shipped a larger amount of coal in 1876 than the Nanaimo district. She is preparing to double her shipments this year. Her miners work at rates at which the Wellingtonians would turn up their noses. This labor advantage, combined with the duty of 75 cents per ton on coal from British Columbia entering San Francisco, enables Seattle mine owners to undersell the Provincial coal and still make a profit.

Whitman and Columbia counties, Washington Territory, will double their population this year. "Immigrants are arriving there daily. The Dayton *News*, in speaking of that country, says: 'We have a climate and soil inferior to none on the coast, and all we want is a large and industrious agricultural population, to make this one of the most prosperous regions on the coast. Let the resources of this upper country be but partially developed, and the transportation question will be easily solved, without any tax upon the earnings of the producer. Our stock raisers have to expend but little and some seasons no labor for feed. Two and three times the amount of grain is produced, with the same labor, that can be produced in the States east of the Rocky mountains, and the same can be said of fruits, vegetables, and all other productions.

A correspondent of the *West Shore* gives these particulars about the Coquille valley, Coos county: One illustration will suffice to show the increase of population and business in this valley. A postoffice was established at Coquille, in this valley, in 1871. During that year the value of stamps sold was $0 17; during 1872, the value was $54 18; during 1874, $121 71; 1875, $191 79, and in 1876 it was nearly $300. The Coquille river will average 150 yards wide for 30 miles from its mouth, and is navigable for that distance by vessels drawing 12 feet of water, and by light draught steamers for 20 miles more. It is a most beautiful stream, having very much the appearance of a natural canal; deep, placid, its banks steep and overhung with woods, not a rock, shoal, rapid, or other obstruction to navigation, save a few snags, which can be easily removed, if necessary. The wealth of timber, coal, etc., is immense.

A correspondent of the Dallas, Oregon, *Itemizer*, writing from Yolo county, Cal., gives this: "The stamp of death seems to be affixed to everything. The very birds are tamed with poverty. Wheat that two months ago covered the ground in dark green luxury is to-day nowhere to be seen; the torrid sun sapped its life; then, to cap the climax, came the Sahara-like simoon for three days in succession, and swept everything before it. Every day witnesses team after team laden with emigrants from Kern, Tulare, San Joaquin and other southern counties on their way to Oregon and Washington Territory. Now is the time for you folks to gain an accession to your population if you want it. A few hundred dollars judiciously invested in the circulation of your county papers in this State would be worth millions to you in the course of a few years; for be it known that the average seeker after good things holds in utter contempt the average pamphlet and scorneth with exceeding scorn the circular. And yet they take back East, as witness the emigrant trains, fifteen and twenty cars driving in this State every eight or ten days, loaded with poor, deluded wretches who think that gold can be had here for the picking up."

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

THURSDAY EVENING, May 10, 1877.

Gold in New York, 100¾.

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying 93¾; selling, 94.

Silver Coin—3 per cent. discount.

The present outlook for the wool and wheat trade for the coming season to be large and active causes some reserve in financial circles locally and will probably in fact a hardening tendency on the money market in the course of a few weeks, or months at most. At present the condition is one of a good degree of ease and quiet, the current demand for loanable funds being readily met at the same rates which have prevailed for the past three months.

Domestic Produce.

The market in this department of trade, during the week under review, has shown a very fair degree of activity, and though individual transactions have not been large, the aggregate volume of trade foots up average for the season. Wheat, as a leading staple in the exports of the State, now figures but a small part in the trade, and though the high prices prevailing lately have drawn out more than was expected, the total shipments during the past six weeks have been less than 50,000 bushels. This has been sent to the San Francisco market, and possibly as much more will close out shipments for the season.

In flour more has been done, and such has been the magnitude of the movement that our market is now in very limited supply, receipts being placed as rapidly as they come to hand. Prices for flour are rather firmer than for wheat, and show less disposition to fluctuate with the markets abroad. Quotations for the former are steady at $8 50 per barrel for standard, $8@8 25 outside brands and $7 25@7 50 for superfine; for wheat, quotations have a wide range, and are given as nominal at $2 00@2 60 per cental.

Oats have not been in quite so full receipt as last week, and trade has shown less activity at 72½@75 cents per bushel, the latter for clean, bright lots. Mill feed and bay have undergone no change, job bing prices being $25 per ton for bran, $35@37 50 for middlings, and $30 for shorts. Provisions are in fair supply at current rates, and a good deal of activity has been manifested in trade during the week. Dairy products are plentiful and prices weaker. Seasonable fruits and vegetables are abundant and, shipments being dull, the home market is glutted with some varieties. Potatoes have sold as low as 25c per bushel, and some difficulty found in placing them even at this price.

The wool market abroad is apparently somewhat improved since last week, and dealers here have advanced their ideas of the probable opening price 16@18 c. Hides, peltry, etc., are in fair request for shipment at improved rates.

Clipper Freights.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Clipper freights for California have been less active to-day than for many weeks, and only very few engagements for freight were made. The fact is that the season for many classes of goods is about over, and that in view of a probably light wheat crop on the Pacific coast and the constant depress on of trade, there are very few orders being pece ved. Again, freights are higher for vessels to succeed those now nearly loaded, and this tends to keep shippers back from making new contracts until they receive further advices from California. Railroad freights are still low. No new developments in cutting of rates, all trunk lines denying that they have done or will do so. Flour very dull with prices 10@15c lower and in a few cases 25c lower; very little export demand. Wheat utterly lifeless; prices nominal.

Shipping Intelligence.

The bark Garibaldi sailed from Hongkong on the 10th ult. for this port. She is consigned to her owners, Messrs. Corbitt & Macleay, and has a cargo consisting largely of refined sugars for that firm.

The steamship Alice will sail for San Francisco at 6 o'clock to-morrow (Friday) morning.

The steamship City of Chester will be due from San Francisco on Saturday next.

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—Market fluctuating and quiet, the range of quotations being $2 50@2 60 per cental.

FLOUR—Quotable, best brands, $8 50 @ bbl; good outside and country brands, $7 75@8 25; fine and superfine, $6 50@7 25. Prices very firm.

OATS—Choice, 75c; common, 65@70c.

POTATOES—Dull at 25c per bushel.

ONIONS—As to quality, $1 40@1 50 @ 100lbs.

HAY—Choice timothy, baled, $15@16; loose, $14 @15.

LARD—Oregon made, fresh, in 10-lb tins, 13@15c @ lb; in kegs, 12@14c.

DRIED APPLES—In sacks 5½; kegs 6@6½ @ lb

APPLES, RIPE—Quotable at $1@1 25 per box for shipping, according to quality.

DRIED PLUMS—With pits, 4@5c; pitless, 14 @16c @ lb.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter, solid, 20c @ lb; prime, 22@25c; roll, 30@35c; fancy dairy, 30@35c. Cheese, quotable at 15@16c @ lb. Market quiet.

BACON—Market well supplied at 12½@13c for sides; 14@14c for hams, and 8@9c for shoulders.

CHICKENS—Market well supplied at $3 00@3 50 per dozen, according to quality.

EGGS—The market is active at 16@18c per dozen.

FRESH MEATS—Beef, dressed, 4@5c @ lb; on foot 2½@3c; dressed hogs, 6@6½c @ lb; mutton sheep $2@2 50 @ head.

BARLEY—Choice brewing, $1 55@1 60; feed, $1 40 @1 45 @ cwt.

HOPS—Quotable at 16@17c.

MILL FEED—Bran, $22 50@25 @ ton; shorts, $27 50 @30; chop, middlings, etc., $30@32 50; oil cake meal, $46.

San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 10.—Wheat—2 80@2 90. Lower in Liverpool.

Barley—Feed, $1 60@1 95; brewing, $1 70@1 75.

Corn—62.

Oats—1c 10@2 40.

Potatoes—Dull: 65c down.

Gold—107½; Greenbacks, 94¼@94¾; Silver, 94 @94¾.

Liverpool markets—13s 2d@13s 6d for average California; 13s 6d@13s 10d for club.

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In the city, all fresh goods from the manufacturer, and which I intend to sell at prices to suit the times. My expenses being but little, and my motto "Quick Sales and Light Profit and Only One Price." My assortment of Ladies and Children's work cannot be excelled, and I respectfully wish them to give a call.
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YOUR ATTENTION IS PARTICULARLY INVITED to our 300° Fire-Test Oil, called "Pratt's Mineral Coloza," which we are now manufacturing expressly for STEAMSHIP, HOUSEHOLD and MILL ILLUMINATION, or for use where an exceedingly high Fire-Test Oil is required. It has already been adopted by many of the Railroads throughout the country, and by most of the coastwise steamers sailing from New York, whose continuance of its use in preference to all similar Oils, is sufficient recommendation as to its quality. It *will not* burn well in the ordinary Petroleum Lamp, it being of too heavy gravity for such use; but in the German Student Lamp and those with double wick burners, we guarantee it to give perfect satisfaction producing a pure flame of great brilliancy. Our facilities for manufacturing are excellent, and equal to any demand, while the price is much lower than that of any oil in the market of the same character and fire test. The U. S. law in regard to the use of these Oils on passenger steamers is very explicit, as follows:

"Any Oil which will stand a Fire Test of Three Hundred (300°) Degrees Fahrenheit, may be carried as freight or *used as stores* on any steamer carrying passengers."

We beg to offer the following Certificates, which have been handed us from the very best authorities obtainable, in regard to the test of the Mineral Coloza Oil, and they may be considered perfectly reliable:

Report of Prof. S. Dana Hayes, Massachusetts State Assayer.

[COPY.] BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 19th, 1876

A sample of burning Oil, marked *Mineral Coloza*, manufactured by CHARLES PRATT & Co., of New York City, has been tested by me with the following result: It has a Fire Test of 326° Fahrenheit. It does not ignite under 226° F.

(Signed) S. DANA HAYES,
Massachusetts State Assayer.

Report of Inspector of Petroleum Oil, for State of Massachusetts.

[COPY.] BOSTON, October 4th 1876.

I have tested samples of *Mineral Coloza Oil*, from CHARLES PRATT & Co., New York City, and find the ignition point or Fire Test to be 315° Fahrenheit. (Signed) R. F. MEANS,
Mass. State Inspector of Petroleum.

Report on Sample of Mineral Coloza Oil, Tested for U. S. Inspector of Steamers 2d District.

[COPY.] NEW YORK, April 25th, 1876.

Mr. ADDISON LOW, U. S. Sub. Inspector.

DEAR SIR: We have tested the sample of *Mineral Coloza Oil* presented by you, and find it stands a Fire Test of 300° Fahrenheit, and we consider it in all respects a very superior Oil.

(Signed) LOCKWOOD, BROS. & HOLLY,
Petroleum Inspectors appointed by N. Y. City Produce Exchange.

To the Trade.

The undersigned beg to call your attention to all of the above, and thus advise you that they will at all times have a full supply of the above mentioned goods on hand, and would be pleased to have your orders.

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AGENTS. SAN FRANCISCO.
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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE OREGON Iron Co., for the election of Directors, will be held at the office of Ladd & Tilton, Portland, on Wednesday, May 16th, 1877, at 7:30 P. M.

P. C. SCHUYLER, Sec'y.
Portland, Oregon, May 3, 1877. m3dtd

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"AJAX"	May 26, at 6 A. M.
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The company reserves the right to change the steamers.
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Will leave the Oregon Steamship Company's Wharf, foot of F street, for the above ports on
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Cabin.....$25 00 | Steerage.....$12 00
Tickets for sale at Office Oregon Steam Navigation Company, corner Front and Ash streets, up stairs.

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NEW ARRANGEMENT
On the Lower Columbia.
BEGINNING ON MONDAY, APRIL 23d, In addition to the regular Astoria Mail boats
The Steamer "Bonita," Capt. Geo. J. Ainsworth, will leave Portland Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 6 A. M. taking freight and passengers for CLIFTON Ogn, and all intermediate points.
The Steamer "Welcome," Capt. Joseph Kellogg, will leave Portland Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 6 A. M. taking freight and passengers for BROOKFIELD, W. T., and all intermediate points.
It is intended that these Boats shall do all the WAY business, relieving the Astoria Mail boats of the numerous delays heretofore necessary.
Freight will be received DAILY, for Westport, Manhattan, Clifton, Calumet, Bay View, Skamokawa and Brookfield.
a21dlm J. C. AINSWORTH, President.

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STEAMERS leave PORTLAND from the Centre Wharf, between Washington and Alder streets, as follows:
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For Lightering and Towing of Vessels
Between Portland and Astoria apply at the office of the Company, near corner of Front and Ash sts.
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THE WILLAMETTE
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NOTICE.
ON AND AFTER JANUARY 1, 1877, until further notice, the W. T. & L. Co. will carry freight at
REDUCED RATES.
UP FREIGHT:
PORTLAND TO SALEM.....$1 00 per Ton.
" Points above Salem 1 50 "
For SPECIAL RATES or DOWN FREIGHT apply at the Office of the Company.
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Willamette Transportation and Locks Company.
NOTICE.—THE FOLLOWING RATES OF Freight on Grain and Flour have been established by this company as the *maximum* rates for one year from May 1st, 1877, viz:

		Per Ton.
Oregon City	to Portland	$1 00
Butteville	" "	1 75
Champoeg	" "	1 75
Dayton	" "	2 00
Fairfield	" "	2 00
Wheatland	" "	2 50
Lincoln	" "	2 50
Salem	" "	2 50
Eola	" "	2 75
Independence	" "	2 75
Ankeny's Landing	" "	3 00
Buena Vista	" "	3 00
Spring Hill	" "	3 00
Albany	" "	3 00
Corvallis	" "	3 50
Peoria	" "	3 50
Monroe	" "	4 00
Harrisburg	" "	4 00
Eugene City	" "	5 00

Grain and Flour shipped from the points above mentioned direct to Astoria will be charged $1 00 per ton additional.
The company will contract with parties who desire it to transport Grain and Flour at above rates for any specified time, not exceeding five years.
S. G. REED, Vice President W. T. & L. Co.
Portland, April 28, 1877.

Oregon Steam Navigation Co.'s
PASSENGER SCHEDULE.
PASSENGERS LEAVE PORTLAND
FOR DALLES—Daily, (except Sunday) at 6 o'clock A. M.
FOR UMATILLA and WALLULA—Monday and Friday at 5 A.M.
FOR VICTORIA—Wednesday and Saturday at 6 A. M.
FOR KALAMA, TACOMA AND SEATTLE—Daily (except Sunday), at 6 A. M.
FOR ASTORIA—Daily, (except Sunday, at 6 A.M.
For Cathlamet, Bay View and Skamokawa—Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 6 A.M.
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STR. McMINNVILLE
WILL LEAVE PACIFIC DOCK every
Monday and Wednesday,
At 7 o'clock A. M., for
Oregon City, Butteville, Champoeg, Dayton, Lafayette and McMinnville,
Will leave Portland every FRIDAY MORNING at 5 o'clock, for SALEM and INDEPENDENCE.
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Portland & Vancouver Packet.
THE STEAMER VANCOUVER,
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WILL LEAVE FOOT OF ALDER STREET daily, Sunday excepted, at 3 P. M.
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To Take Effect Sunday, Sept. 17, 1876, at 12½ o'clock Noon.
DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAY),
As follows:
PORTLAND AND ROSEBURG
LEAVE. ARRIVE.
Portland.....7:30 A. M. Roseburg.....7:00 P. M.
Roseburg.....5:00 A. M. Portland.....4:30 P. M.
ALBANY EXPRESS TRAIN.
DAILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS).
As follows:
LEAVE. ARRIVE.
Portland.....3:30 P. M. Albany.....8:25 P. M.
Albany.....5:30 A. M. Portland.....10:25 A. M.
FREIGHT TRAINS
DAILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) AS FOLLOWS
LEAVE. ARRIVE.
Portland.....8:15 A. M. Junction.....4:00 P. M.
Junction.....5:45 A. M. Portland.....5:15 P. M.
The Oregon and California Railroad Ferry-boat makes connection with all Regular Trains.
Close connections are made at ROSEBURG with the Stages of the Oregon and California Stage Company.
Tickets for Sale to all the principal points in California and the East, at Company's Office,
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PORTLAND.
Storage will be charged on freight remaining in Warehouse over 24 hours.
Freight will not be received for shipment after 5 o'clock P. M.
J. BRANDT, Jr., Gen'l Sup't.
E. P. ROGERS,
Gen'l Freight and Passenger Agent.

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PACIFIC DIVISION.
KALAMA TO TACOMA.
DAILY, (SUNDAYS EXCEPTED.)
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Kalama.....11:20 A. M. Tacoma.....6:30 P. M.
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At Kalama with O. S. N. Co.'s Boats for all points on Columbia River.
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